GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – West Godavari District - Sri B. Nageswara Rao, DT (Retired) - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991– Article of Charges issued – Explanation submitted – REO appointed – Enquiry Report received – Explanation of CO received on the findings of the EO – Show Cause Notice issued under APRPRs 1980 – Representation received - Disciplinary proceedings concluded- Imposition of penalty of 25% cut in pension for ten (10) years under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE – III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 686 **Dated: 27-09-2024**

Read the Following:

1.West Godavari Collector's Roc 805/VC/2012(A4)-1 dt.20.09.2014 (AoCs).
2. West Godavari Collector's Roc 805/VC/2012(A4)-2 dt.20.09.2014 (E.O).
3.Explanation of Sri B.Nageswara Rao, DT, Buttaigudem dt.08.10.2014.
4.RoC.E-919281/2017/D dt.08.09.2017 of the RDO, JR Gudem.
5.CCLA's Ref No.VSI(3)/618/2018 Dt.12.01.2018.
6. Memo No.REV-18022/3/2018-VIG III - REV Dated:13.03.2018.
7.Explanation of the Charged officer Dt.18.08.2023.
8.Memo No. REV-18022/3/2018-VIG III - REV Dated:07.11.2023.
9.Explanation of the Charged Officer dt.11.07.2024.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st cited, disciplinary proceedings were initiated by the District Collector, West Godavari by framing the Article of Charge under Rule 20 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 against Sri.B.Nageswara Rao, DT (Retd.) on the allegation of negligence and lack of supervision and failed for proper distribution of PDS Rice to the beneficiaries and made pathway for the diversion of the 105.64 Qts of PDS Rice.

2. The Charged Officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defence and after examining the same, Regular Enquiry Officer was appointed vide reference 2nd cited. Enquiry Officer has submitted his Enquiry Report and held that the charge is proved against the Charged Officer.

3. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Mangalagiri vide reference 5th cited has stated that the Charged Officer was retired from service on 30.06.2017 and requested the Government to conclude the disciplinary proceedings under rule 9(2) of the AP RP Rules, 1980. Government after examining the matter have communicated the inquiry report to the Charged Officer under Rule 21(2) of AP CS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for submission of his representation if any. The Charged Officer vide reference 7th cited has submitted his explanation on the findings of the Enquiry Officer.

4. Whereas and, Government have examined the matter carefully and provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 25% cut in pension for a period of (10) years against Sri B.Nageswara Rao, former Deputy Tahsildar, Jeelugumilli, (now retired) for the charge held proved against him.

5. Whereas and, a Show-Cause Notice was issued to Sri B.Nageswara Rao, former Deputy Tahsildar, Jeelugumilli, (now retired) as to why the said penalty should not be imposed against him vide reference 8th read above. In the reference 9th read above, in his explanation he has not submitted any new grounds.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, has decided and hereby impose a penalty of withholding 25% pension for a period of ten (10) years against Sri B.Nageswara Rao, former Deputy Tahsildar, Jeelugumilli, (now retired) for the charge held proved against him under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

(P.T.O)

7. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Mangalagiri/The District collector, West Godavari District is therefore requested to take necessary action in the matter.

R P SISODIA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri.B.Nageswara Rao, DT (Retd.) (***through*** *the* Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Mangalagiri).

Copy to:
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Mangalagiri.
The District Collector, West Godavari District.
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